

5414. Vitamin capsules. (F. D. C. No. 40183. S. No. 45-504 M.)

QUANTITY: 598 btls., 100 capsules ea., at Richmond, Va.

SHIPPED: 12-9-52, from Detroit, Mich.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Analysis showed that the article contained less than 50 percent of the declared amount of vitamin D and vitamin B₁.

LIBELED: 4-26-57, E. Dist. Va.

CHARGE: 501 (c)—the strength of the article, while held for sale, differed from that which it was represented to possess, namely, 1,200 U. S. P. units of vitamin D and 10 mg. of vitamin B₁; and 502 (a)—the label statements "Vitamin D—1200 U. S. P. units" and "Vitamin B₁—10 mg." were false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 6-3-57. Default—destruction.

5415. Clinical thermometers (rectal). (F. D. C. No. 41419. S. No. 15-168 P.)

QUANTITY: 114 *clinical thermometers* at Youngstown, Ohio.

SHIPPED: 6-28-57, from Ridgewood, N. Y., by Comet Thermometer Co.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Examination of 24 *clinical thermometers* showed that 17 failed to meet the requirement for accuracy specified in CS1-52 issued by the National Bureau of Standards of the Department of Commerce when tested as described in CS1-52.

LIBELED: 2-11-58, N. Dist. Ohio.

CHARGE: 501 (c)—when shipped, the quality of the article fell below that which it purported and was represented to possess since it did not give accurate readings; and 502 (a)—the label statement "tested and found to meet all the requirements and tests specified in Commercial Standard CS1-52" was false and misleading.

DISPOSITION: 3-25-58. Default—destruction.

DRUGS ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF FALSE AND MISLEADING CLAIMS**DRUGS FOR HUMAN USE*****5416. Ante-Firmin. (F. D. C. No. 40216. S. Nos. 39-439/40 M.)**

QUANTITY: 22 ctns., ea. containing 12 2-oz. btls., at Charlotte, N. C.

SHIPPED: 11-26-56 and 4-18-57, from Clinton, S. C., by Ante-Firmin Co.

LABEL IN PART: "Ante-Firmin * * * Children's Prescription * * * Alcohol 4% Represents Rhubarb, Bismuth Subnitrate, Calcium Carbonate, Zinc Phenol Sulfonate, Cinnamon, Oil of Peppermint" and "Ante-Firmin * * * Adult Prescription * * * Alcohol 6 percent Represents Rhubarb, Bismuth Subnitrate, Calcium Carbonate, Zinc Phenolsulfonate, Tinct Capsicum, Cinnamon, Oil of Peppermint."

LIBELED: 5-20-57, W. Dist. N. C.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling of the article, when shipped, contained false and misleading representations that the article was effective as a laxative and antacid for the treatment of stomach acidity, stomach distress, and simple diarrhea.

DISPOSITION: 6-19-57. Default—destruction.

5417. Snodgrass Mixture. (F. D. C. No. 40296. S. No. 64-189 M.)

QUANTITY: 11 cartons, 12 btls. ea., at Pittsburgh, Pa.

SHIPPED: 2-18-57, from Kenmore, N. Y., by Barworth Distributing Corp.

*See also Nos. 5401, 5404-5407, 5413-5415.

LABEL IN PART: "Snodgrass Mixture * * * Contains solution of Bismuth & Ammonium Citrate. $\frac{1}{8}$ min. Carbolic Acid to the teaspoonful."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Display cards reading in part "Ulcer Sufferers * Authorized Dealer * Snodgrass Mixture—For relief of stomach hyperacidity."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Analysis showed that the article contained in one teaspoonful (5 milliliters) 0.315 gram of bismuth and ammonium citrate and 7.6 milligrams of phenol.

LIBELED: 6-3-57, W. Dist. Pa.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling which accompanied the article, when shipped, contained false and misleading representations that the article was an effective treatment for ulcers.

DISPOSITION: 8-6-57. Default—destruction.

5418. Quaff-Aid tablets. (F. D. C. No. 39645. S. No. 48-861 M.)

QUANTITY: 117,000 tablets in 2 bulk drums and 140,000 tablets in small cellophane envelopes containing 2 tablets ea. at Milwaukee, Wis., in possession of Amber Laboratories, Inc.

SHIPPED: 8-4-55, from Chicago, Ill.

LABEL IN PART: (Envelope) "Quaff-Aid * * * Ingredients: Specially Prepared Concentrated Brewers' Yeast."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The article in the above-described shipment was purchased in bulk drums; and, after its receipt at Milwaukee, Wis., it was in part repackaged into envelopes for retail sale by the dealer.

LIBELED: 10-23-56, E. Dist. Wis.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling of the article, while held for sale, contained false and misleading representations that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for preventing and relieving all ill effects from overindulgence in alcohol.

DISPOSITION: 4-15-57. Consent—claimed by Amber Laboratories, Inc., and relabeled.

5419. Honey. (F. D. C. No. 40333. S. No. 61-325 M.)

QUANTITY: 2 cases, each containing 24 jars, labeled as described below, and 208 cases, each containing 24 1-lb. unlabeled jars, at Dorchester, Mass., in the possession of George P. Margeson.

SHIPPED: Between 5-3-57 and 6-4-57, from Kew Gardens, N. Y.

LABEL IN PART: (Jar) "Margeson's Nutritious Honey * * * From Guatemala, Central America ROSE Brand Net Wt. 1 lb. Imported and Packed For Geo. P. Margeson Boston Mass."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Circulars entitled "My Son Eat Thou Honey, For it is Good" and "Guatemala Rose Honey and I."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The unlabeled jars of the article were to be labeled with the same label that appeared on the labeled jars. The above-mentioned circulars were printed locally for the consignee.

LIBELED: 6-21-57, Dist. Mass.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling accompanying the article, while held for sale, contained false and misleading representations that the article was effective for overcoming heart conditions and kidney conditions, preventing colds,